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"WE do not intend to sacrifice the Algerian social revolution for the sake of Algerian independence. We want them both," recently said one of the leaders of the FLN. This statement provides the best explanation for the new delay in the start of the official talks between the French Government and the leaders of the Algerian Provisional Government.

FLN MONOPOLY IN ALGERIA

The reason given by M. Ferhat Abbas and his colleagues in order to justify their refusal to send a delegation to Evian is known: they were angered by a statement made in Algeria by M. Louis Joxe, the French Minister for Algerian Affairs, who declared that the government would consult the MNA as well as the FLN — and they want him to retract it.

The MNA, the Algerian National Movement, whose leader is M. Massali Hadj, an old fighter for Algerian freedom, has been feuding with the FLN since 1954. Its influence in Algeria is small compared to the influence of its rival; but the French Government, faithful to its promise to consult all shades of Algerian public opinion, had felt under an obligation to consult M. Massali Hadj on his views on auto-determination and the future of Algeria. This intention of the French Government had been known to the FLN, and Mr. Ferhat Abbas had himself declared a few months ago that his organization did not care whom France consulted, as long as she negotiated only with the FLN.

It is therefore difficult at first sight to understand the violence of the FLN's reaction to the statement made by M. Joxe, but it becomes clearer in consideration of the state of mind of the leaders of the revolt and their avowed aims. The aim of the present struggle for the FLN is not only to assure the independence of Algeria, but to obtain the power to carry out the political, social, and economic revolution they have dreamt of during six hard years of war. They are afraid that after independence Algeria may follow the dangerous road taken by quite a few of the newly-born states and drift into division and futility. This is why they are suspicious of any gesture by the French that could be understood as assistance to a rival Moslem political force which could prevent the realization of the FLN's aims.

The leaders of the Algerian revolt have always suspected that the French would attempt to use the MNA for this purpose. They know that President de Gaulle intends to propose an association with France within the framework of a larger association between France and the whole of North Africa. The FLN's Soviet, Chinese, and Egyptian friends have advised them against such an association, and the insurgent leaders seem decided to follow their advice. They are convinced, in any case, that at some stage in the negotiations a clash is inevitable. When things come to a head, they expect President de Gaulle to search in Algeria for a new partner more favourably disposed towards an association with France and the West. The most dangerous of these possible alternatives will certainly be the MNA. This is the reason why the FLN leaders are now pressing hard to oblige the French to recognize their organization as the only one entitled to enter into negotiations.

The Algerian problem is, meanwhile, becoming of increasing international interest. The FLN is in constant contact with Moscow and Peking, and has assured those capitals that it will never accept close ties between the new Algerian Republic and the West. In exchange, it has obtained the promise of increased Communist aid should the negotiations with France break down again. Now the United States has also openly entered into the picture, and they are apparently trying to persuade the FLN leaders not to be over-intransigent, and to assure them that there is more to be gained from cooperation with the West, or at least from strict neutrality, than from close ties with the Eastern bloc.

Behind the quarrel over the MNA stands the whole problem of the future orientation of Algeria's policy. This is why the present deadlock is more serious than might appear.

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Angry Katanga Mob Attacks U.N. Swedes

ELISABETHVILLE (AP). — Premier Moise Tshombe of Katanga, thwarted in a move to seize Elisabethville airport from U.N. forces, angrily called on his supporters yesterday to get ready to fight the U.N.

Two hours later he ordered them off, but knife-wielding Africans already were running amok on roads leading to the airport.

At mid-afternoon the leader of this secessionist Congo province ordered full mobilization and turned this capital city into an armed camp. He handed the U.N. forces an ultimatum to surrender the airport within two hours. Then, as tension mounted, Mr. Tshombe announced he and U.N. officials had reached an agreement to avert an explosion. Under the agreement, Katanga troops would guard the military part of the airport, and U.N. troops the civilian side.

Even as this was announced, frenzied Africans were milling about uniformed Swedish U.N. troops, attacking them with stones and smashing their cars.

Yesterday evening 4,000 howling, stone-throwing Africans swept onto the airport and laid siege to the terminal building and control tower. Stones shattered windows and some women airline passengers, caught in the terminal, screamed with fright.

Units of the Katanga army took up battle positions outside the terminal to protect the Swedish troops. Many officers of this army, the most disciplined in the Congo, consist of Belgians retained by Mr. Tshombe.

These were the events leading up to the new Katanga crisis:

A platoon of 24 Katanga troops, led by Belgian officers, tried to seize the airport before dawn. A dozen Swedish troops at the airport thwarted the attempt.

Enraged Tshombe

In a rage, Mr. Tshombe delivered his ultimatum and went direct to the capital's people. He told a screaming crowd of 8,000 that the Swedes must quit the airport within two hours or face attack by the capital's entire population.

"The Swedes may not leave the airport in two hours," the Premier shouted. "If not, I will ask all of you, together with the police and Katanga army, to march on the airport. You will fight, you will shoot, you will recapture the airport."

When he rescinded the ultimatum before it took effect, mobs were already on the road to the airport.

Part of the mob attacked two Swedes in a car, stoning it and smashing the windows. Some whites with the Katanga army forced their way through to rescue the two Swedes.

Several thousand other Africans gathered around the U.N. headquarters building in Elisabethville, chanting and screaming, while leaders exhorted them to tear the building down. Mr. Tshombe's forces earlier had cut off power and water to the building.

When the crowd finally left, Katanga police remained guarding the airport and headquarters.

Meanwhile, according to an unofficial report, 30 Swedes had been taken prisoner by Katanga army African troops. The report could not be immediately confirmed.

Downtown Elisabethville resembled an embattled city at dusk. The streets were littered with all types of primitive weapons from spears to bone clubs. Katanga police had blocked off every intersection and were stationed at intervals of 10 yards along the sidewalks.

Chilean Airliner Down with 24

SANTIAGO (AP). — An intense air search was underway yesterday for a missing National Chilean Airlines plane carrying 24 persons including members of the Green Cross professional soccer team of Santiago.

The plane was flying from Chiloe Island to Santiago.

UK Invites Japan Foreign Minister

LONDON (AP). — Britain has invited Japanese Foreign Minister Zentaro Kosaka to visit London this year, the Foreign Office disclosed yesterday. It said a likely time would be "toward the end of June."

Bonn Refuses To Pay for Eichmann

COLOGNE (AP). — A court ruled here yesterday that the West German Government is not responsible for the defence of Adolf Eichmann.

The State Administrative Court handed down the verdict in answer to Eichmann's appeal from an earlier West German decision that he is not entitled to legal or financial aid from this country in his forthcoming trial.

Eichmann, Austrian-born, claimed that as a naturalized German he had a right to such help.

The Foreign Ministry has said the crimes he is accused of are of such magnitude that his case falls outside the limits of protection afforded nationals by the Bonn Government.

Eichmann appealed through his defence attorney, Cologne lawyer Robert Servatius, who said he did not know if he would appeal the court's decision.

He also said he estimates Eichamnn's defence costs will total about 120,000 marks ($30,000). Israel has paid him $20,000.

Eichmann's Capture Spurs Hunt for Nazis

NEW YORK (Reuter). — The "New York Herald Tribune" editorially said yesterday that it must seem "an irony of history" to Adolf Eichmann that his capture had led to intensification of West German efforts to seize other men accused of crimes similar to his own.

It pointed out that the extent of "the German crackdown itself remains to be demonstrated," and that although the War Crimes Office has predicted that 1,000 Nazi extermination experts will be put to trial, such criminals would be hard to trace after 15 years and with the advance notice given them.

But it stressed that events in Nazi Germany "are being brought into vivid focus once again in several parts of the world." It added that the passage of 15 years has not dulled the memory of the world of the crimes of the Nazis "nor immunized them from prosecution.... For justice, it is never too late."

More Anti-Semitism As Trial Nears

RIO DE JANEIRO (INA). — A summary of police reports from various Argentine cities indicated yesterday that anti-Semitic acts and anonymous threats to Jews were increasing with the approach of the opening of the Eichmann trial.

Several Jewish families in Porto Alegre told police they had received threatening letters from an "anti-Jewish union" which promised there would be "reprisals" for the trial.

Swastikas and such slogans as "freedom for Eichmann, death to the Jews," were reported to have been daubed on walls and painted on or near the homes of Jewish families in Sao Paulo.

Probe of Baghdad Violence Ordered

BAGHDAD (Reuter). — The Military Governor of Iraq, Maj.-Gen. Ahmed Saleh Abdi, has ordered two separate committees to investigate recent disturbances in two districts of Baghdad, the press reported yesterday.

It was also reported that people had begun to surrender firearms following Gen. Abdi's order on Sunday that all firearms be handed over to the authorities within seven days.

The decree also modified a curfew imposed last Wednesday in the northern district of the city following a taxi drivers' strike over higher petrol prices.

Council Meets Tomorrow On Jordan Plaint

UNITED NATIONS (Reuter). — The Security Council will meet at 1530 GMT (5.30 p.m. Israel time) tomorrow to discuss Jordan's complaint of "military provocations" by Israel in planning the Independence Day military parade in Jerusalem on April 20, it was announced yesterday.

Mr. T.B. Subasinghe (Ceylon), Council President, set the time and date of the meeting after consultations with the 10 other Council members.

Jordan asked for Council action in a letter to Mr. Subasinghe last Saturday. Israel replied a day later that Jordan had been informed of the planned parade, and that the Arab state was making an issue out of a minor matter. The Israel letter pointed to the purely ceremonial nature of the occasion and referred to a previous occasion three years ago when a similar parade in Jerusalem was described by the U.N. Chairman of the Mixed Armistice Commission as merely a "formal breach of the Armistice Agreement."

The letter listed a number of occasions on which Jordanians have brought to Jerusalem military equipment, including armour and planes, in excess of that allowed in the Armistice Agreement.

The Israel Government, recognizing the purely ceremonial nature of these occasions, did not complain about them, the letter said.

Rehearsals as Scheduled

The three rehearsals of the Independence Day military parade will be held as originally scheduled, the Army spokesman said last night in reply to a question by *The Jerusalem Post*.

Because the parade is being held in Jerusalem, which is still not recognized as Israel's capital by most foreign countries, foreign diplomats have not been invited to witness the parade, and no invitation has been issued to members of the U.N. Truce Supervision Organization.

Jordan to Attend Arab Military Talks

AMMAN (Reuter). — Premier Talhouni announced yesterday that Jordan would attend a meeting of Army Chiefs of Staff of the inter-Arab Collective Security Pact to be held in Cairo from April 15.

It is understood here that the Cairo meeting will discuss the general military and political complications in the Palestine problem, reports that Israel was seeking to posses the atomic bomb, and plans to divert the Jordan River to southern Israel.

Tax Officials Carry On in Taxless Cyprus

NICOSIA (AP). — President Makarios has ordered all tax and customs officials to carry on with their normal duties, despite a parliamentary impasse over the island's tax legislation.

Cyprus became a taxless state last Friday when the current tax legislation expired and Turkish Members of Parliament blocked a Government move to extend it.

UAR Seen Cool To Jordan Overtures

CAIRO (AP). — Highly placed Egyptian sources here discounted reports of a reconciliation between Abdul Nasser and King Hussein which were based on an exchange of messages between the heads of state.

Informants here disagree. They say nothing has changed and that there will be no meeting between the two.

In his letter replying to Hussein, Nasser said in effect, "You know our policy. You also know it is unchanged. Take it or leave it. But if you leave it you know Jordan will lose more than the UAR."

It appears significant that the Cairo propaganda machine has not hailed Hussein as a hero just because he wrote a letter talking about Arab unity. The Cairo press published textually the exchange of messages but otherwise made little comment.

"Al Ahram" summed up the attitude with the phrase "Nasser's letter speaks for itself."

US-UK Talks Open In Washington

WASHINGTON (AP). — The five-day series of U.S.-British conferences started yesterday morning when the British Foreign Secretary, Lord Home, called on Secretary of State Dean Rusk at the State Department.

The State Department said that the talks between Mr. Rusk and Lord Home, who arrived late Monday night, are considered preliminary to the series of conferences between President Kennedy and Prime Minister Harold Macmillan (who was scheduled to arrive in Washington last night from Jamaica).

There will be no communique before Saturday, when the talks end, the Department Press Officer, Mr. Joseph Reap, told reporters.

The U.S.-British talks will centre on international problems, primarily the Laos crisis.

US Urges Cuba Sever Links with Communism

WASHINGTON (Reuter). — Soviet Russia has supplied Cuba with arms estimated to be worth $50m. since the middle of 1960, according to a pamphlet issued by the State Department yesterday.

The pamphlet, the most sweeping indictment by the U.S. of Dr. Fidel Castro's regime, called on Cuba "to sever its links with the international Communist movement."

The pamphlet accused the Castro regime of having established a Communist bridgehead in the Caribbean, extinguished all political opposition, justice, freedom of communication, and of having destroyed the original aims of the Cuban revolution.

The U.S. yesterday protested strongly to the Castro Government against the Cuban Navy's attempt to seize the American cable schooner Western Union last Friday outside Cuban territorial waters.

B-G TO ADDRESS MAPAI POLL WORKERS TODAY

TEL AVIV. — Prime Minister Ben-Gurion will address 3,000 Mapai election workers this afternoon at the Mann Auditorium, launching Mapai's campaign for the Fifth Knesset. He is scheduled to sum up the meeting in the evening after other leading Mapai members have spoken.

USSR Agrees In Principle To West Test Plan

GENEVA (AP). — The Soviet Union announced yesterday its agreement "in principle" to four Anglo-American compromise proposals on how to control an agreement to suspend atomic weapons tests.

Soviet delegate Semyon K. Tsarapkin told the three-power nuclear test ban talks that his Government was willing to accept the latest offers for East-West partnership in research programmes involving nuclear explosions underground and for peaceful industrial purposes, and in outer space.

He also stated he was in agreement with another Western offer that the overall annual budget of the proposed system to control a test ban be agreed by "unanimity."

Unanimity Formula

The Soviet Union has insisted on this formula from the beginning of the two and a half year old conference. "Unanimity" in setting down the total budget in the Western view is tantamount to a veto. The British and American side had decided to accept this on the condition that individual budgetary items remain free from such a veto provision, which could hamper the working of the control system.

Mr. Tsarapkin welcomed the Western agreement on the "unanimity" idea for the fixing of the overall budget. But he accused the U.S. and British delegations of not being consistent in maintaining that the setting down of individual budget items must remain veto-free.

U.S. Mediates to Save French-FLN Peace Talks

Contacts Paris, Rebel Leaders

The U.S. Government said yesterday it had contacted both French Government and Algerian insurgent representatives in an effort to promote peace talks between the two.

The State Department Press Officer, Mr. Lincoln White, who made the disclosure, said:

"We naturally were disturbed at reports that the Algerian peace talks at Evian might not open as scheduled on April 7. We are convinced, however, that a real desire to settle outstanding differences continues to exist on both sides.

"We are certain that means can be found to surmount the present barrier to the opening of talks so that the substantive problems involved in an Algerian settlement can be discussed calmly at the conference table."

Mr. White referred to the FLN threat not to show up at the Evian parley unless France avoids dealing with a rival Algerian national movement on a similar basis.

He said he was hopeful that representatives of the Algerian rebels would turn up at the Evian peace conference.

He could not say whether the two parties would begin talks on April 7 or a few days later, but added that "both sides want to get cracking."

The U.S. intervention in the Algerian affair was the first such openly announced by the U.S. Government.

Mr. White said the contact with the rebels was made by the U.S. Ambassador to Tunisia, Mr. Walter Walmsley, who has met from time to time with two Ministers of the "Algerian Provisional Government" at social functions in Tunis. The Ambassador acted on instructions from Washington, he added, but this in no way constituted U.S. recognition of the Algerian insurgents.

On the French side, Mr. White said, the contact was made through the U.S. Embassy in Paris. The French were told of the Tunis conversations and he believed the French Government shared the U.S. opinion of "the serious importance of the Evian talks."

Sources close to the "Algo-

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12 Hurt as Bomb Blasts Paris Bourse

PARIS (Reuter). — A plastic bomb blasted the first floor of the Paris Bourse yesterday, injuring 12 persons — mostly stockbrokers and clerks — bursting waterpipes and doing extensive damage.

One of the injured was seriously hurt, police said, and four others were taken to hospital.

This was the latest in a series of terrorist acts throughout France and Algeria on the eve of peace talks, and they are attributed to right-wing extremists opposing President de Gaulle's policy of Algerian self-determination.

Police and fire engines were on the scene within minutes, and police put a cordon round the building.

Hotel Blasted

Another bomb exploded in a hotel at Bayonne, south-west France, early yesterday, causing extensive damage but no casualties.

Police said neither the hotel proprietors nor any of his guests had political affiliations which might explain the attack.

Last night three Moslems were injured by a bomb thrown into a Paris cafe from a car, and the ground floor windows of the Tunisian Consulate in Marseilles were blown in by another bomb.

Kenyatta Transferred Nearer to Nairobi

NAIROBI (Reuter). — Jomo Kenyatta, the Mau Mau leader, arrived yesterday by air at Maralal, 180 miles north of Nairobi, where he is to live under a restriction order, the Kenya Government announced.

Kenyatta's family flew with him from his previous home at Lodwar, 320 miles north of Nairobi, where he has been living under a restriction order since April, 1959.

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Social & Personal

The President and Mrs. Ben-Zvi yesterday received Mr. Harry Kroll, Chairman of the New Brunswick, New Jersey Israel Bond Bar-Mitzva Year Campaign, and Mrs. Kroll, who presented them with a scroll marking the sale of $300,000 in Bonds in that city. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Goodman, of New Brunswick, were also present.

The President and Mrs. Ben-Zvi also received the 36-member Farband Labour Zionist Order Bond delegation.

The President yesterday received Dr. Daniel Lewin, Minister to Japan.

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The Minister of Health, Mr. Yisrael Barzilai, yesterday paid holiday calls on patients at the Tel Hashomer and Hasharon Hospitals.

The Brazilian Immigrants' Association yesterday presented Mr. Barzilai with a certificate of inscription in the Golden Book of the Jewish National Fund by Brazilian Jewry in honour of his recent visit to Brazil.

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Mayor Mordecai Ish-Shalom of Jerusalem yesterday received a delegation from Abu Ghosh which brought holiday greetings.

Mr. Ish-Shalom also received the Mukhtar of Beit Safafa.

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Mr. Charles Wolfson; Dr. Arthur Levin; Mr. Charles Clore and son and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Steinberg and daughter, and Mr. David Wolfson this week visited Hechal Shlomo, and were received by Mr. Maurice Jaffe, Executive Director.

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A symposium on "Manpower Problems in Israel" will be held tomorrow at 10.00 a.m. in the Jerusalem Journalists' Club, 15 Rehov Shamai, sponsored by the Israel Political Science Association. Among the participants will be the Labour Minister, Dr. Giora Josephthal, Prof. M. Mayuzam, Dr. Yosef Ben-David, Dr. Avner Hovana, Dr. Andre Chouraqui, Prof. Binyamin Akzin, Mr. Moshe Nissim, and Mr. Yeruham Meshel.

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The Haifa Rotary Club will hold a business meeting at the Appinger Hotel at 1 p.m. today.

Because of the Passover holiday the Jerusalem Rotary Club will not hold its regular meeting today.

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EXPRESSION OF THANKS

Mr. P. Kerstayn, Manager of Holland Bank Union, Tel Aviv, who is unable personally to acknowledge all the congratulations sent on the occasion of his 40 years' activities in the service of the Bank, wishes to extend his heartiest thanks.

Action Against South Africa To be Debated in U.N. Today

UNITED NATIONS (Reuter). — A group of 25 African states, including the UAR, Morocco, and Tunisia, has proposed punitive measures in the economic and diplomatic fields against South Africa in a new bid to have the Union abandon its racial policies.

At the same time India, Ceylon, and Malaya tabled a milder resolution in the General Assembly's Special Political Committee.

This would have all states "consider taking such separate and collective actions as are open to them to bring about the abandonment of *apartheid*."

The committee is to begin discussion of both drafts today.

The 25-power African resolution would have the Assembly recommend members to: Break off diplomatic relations with the South African Government; close ports to her ships; boycott her goods and refrain from exporting to her and refuse passage and landing facilities to her aircraft.

Meanwhile, the four-power draft resolution did not specifically call for sanctions against South Africa, for which a number of African states have been pressing.

Earlier during the Special Committee debate, Mr. Aryeh Eshel of Israel said he shared the "keen disappointment" of other U.N. members at the "failure of a member state to heed world opinion and to conform its policies with the accepted principles of the Charter."

The Jewish people, he said, had "suffered too much from racial and religious persecution not to feel a keen abhorrence for racialism and to be acutely sensitive to the dangers arising from claims to religious superiority."

Home to Visit Madrid and Lisbon

LONDON (Reuter). — The Earl of Home, the Foreign Secretary, will pay official visits to Spain and Portugal at the end of May, the Foreign Office spokesman announced here yesterday.

He will visit Lisbon from May 25 to 28 and Madrid from May 29 to 31. Spanish membership of the Atlantic Pact would be discussed during the Madrid visit.

DEATH. — Admiral Sir Cyril Eustace Douglas-Pennant, one of Britain's top planners of military and naval operations, died on Monday in his London home at the age of 66.

Early Spring Changed Speed of Earth Spin

MOSCOW (Reuter). — Two Soviet scientists have suggested that the abnormally early spring in northern Eurasia in 1959 caused a sharp change in the speed of the earth's revolution round its axis, the Soviet news agency Tass reported yesterday.

Many observatories noticed in July that year that the duration of one day increased by 0.85 milliseconds and then began decreasing. Foreign scientists believed this was due to a strong magnetic storm a few days earlier caused by a sunspot.

Prof. Nikolai Pavlov, chief of the time service of Pulkovo Observatory, Leningrad, and astronomer Gennadi Staritsin, said the ordinary annual seasonal change in the speed of the earth's revolution began one month earlier than usual.

Some scientists believe this change was caused by seasonal atmospheric circulation in July 1959. Pavlov and Staritsin suggest this was affected by northern Eurasia's early spring.

Security Provisions For Negev Hikes

BEERSHEBA. — All organised hikes wishing Army surveillance in the Negev may register at a special Army centre for coordinating Negev hikes which has been established by the Military Governor's office here.

Hiking parties will be required to adhere strictly to the route they indicate on the centre's application forms and contact will be maintained with them by Piper planes and other means of communication. They will also be required to be armed in accordance with the centre's specifications. *(Itim)*

World Bank Appoints Special Africa Envoy

WASHINGTON (Reuter). — The World Bank on Monday announced the appointment of Mr. Leonard Rist as the Bank's special representative for Africa.

Mr. Rist has been director of the Bank's economic staff since 1946.

Remains of Earliest Gliding Reptile

NEW YORK (Reuter). — Three boys digging in an abandoned quarry in New Jersey have uncovered the fossil remains of a gliding reptile which lived about 175 million years ago and is older than any previously known to science.

Dr. Edwin Colbert, Chairman of the Department of Vertebrate Paleontology at the American Museum of Natural History, New York, has announced the discovery. The fossilized skeleton is now on view at the Museum.

"This early reptile, which ante-dates the earliest Pterosaurs, or flying reptiles, may have been the first animal with a backbone ever to take to the air," Dr. Colbert said.

Soviets Open New Yemen Port, Ahmedi

MOSCOW. — A new seaport for the Yemen has been completed by Soviet specialists and was officially opened on Sunday, Tass reported here yesterday.

The new port, Ahmedi (named after the Imam Ahmed) is located at the Red Sea city of Hodeida. Tass said three ships have already arrived at Ahmedi, including a Soviet ship delivering a consignment of sugar.

The new port has four piers and the Soviets have dredged out a 5½-mile channel.

Crown Prince Badr gave a dinner in honour of the visiting Soviet Merchant Marine Minister, Mr. Bakaqev, in Ahmedi. He toasted Premier Khrushchev as "a sincere friend of the Yemeni people."

'Design for Inexpensive Living' Show at Ashkelon

By PHILIP GILLON, Jerusalem Post Reporter

A new design for living for immigrants who have moved from ma'barot to new housing estates was disclosed in an Exhibition which opened in Ashkelon yesterday. The exhibition shows how a family of two adults and six children can furnish a 54-square-metre three-room flat with simple but tasteful and functional furniture.

The furniture is sold on a down payment of 10 per cent, the balance payable, interest free, over 24 months. The furniture was designed by Rafi Blumenfeld (the architect of the Sheraton Hotel) and is manufactured by the Furniture for Immigrants Factory at Kiryat Gat.

In one child's bedroom (2.80 metres by 2.80 metres) a cupboard containing various types of shelving and hanging space occupies one complete wall. It costs IL456. On the opposite wall is a bed mounted on special stilts. Underneath and perpendicular to it is a second bed, with a third folding bed linked underneath during the day. The arrangement allows some daytime living space, while at night the three children can sleep in comfort. The three beds, complete with mattresses, cost IL178.

In the second bedroom is a similar unit of three beds.

In the lounge are the parents' beds, placed perpendicular to each other in one corner and covered with raffia material made by Maskit. The beds are in the form of sofas with brackets, and cost IL84 each, complete with mattress. There are comfortable armchairs, made with plastic strips, costing IL24. The tables can be covered with a form of linoleum resembling formica and easy to clean, but much cheaper.

Mr. Y. Neufeld, Director of Amidar's Department of Community Organization, said that his department arranges courses in home carpentry, home plumbing, and painting to enable tenants to make their own minor repairs. Study materials are supplied free by Amidar.

The Furniture for the Immigrant Factory was established by the Jewish Agency, Amidar Corporation and the Labour Ministry, who invested IL120,000 each. In two years it has sold IL600,000 worth of furniture to 2,500 families, and will be expanded in the near future.

The Exhibition was arranged by the Citizens' Committee of the Shimshon Neighbourhood Area of Ashkelon in cooperation with Amidar and the Agency.

Faure 'Surprised' at Impact Of Religion on Israel's Life

By SRAYA SHAPIRO, Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — M. Edgar Faure, former French Prime Minister, told *The Jerusalem Post* yesterday that he found Israel "very much up to expectations."

He was surprised, however, that "religion has such an impact on life here — dietary rules, and the Sabbath, for example. This is not a criticism, but a remark. One does not expect to encounter it in what is patently a lay country," said M. Faure.

M. Faure was giving an interview before leaving the country after a week's visit as guest of the Government.

On Sunday, M. Faure had a long talk with Prime Minister Ben-Gurion — "the first really deep talk we had." M. Faure said he was impressed with the lucidity and insight of Mr. Ben-Gurion's outlook on word affairs. He is "very much up to date and realistic."

M. Faure, who sits in the French Senate as a member of the left Unity Group, led the Radicals when he was Prime Minister. "But all those political definitions are no longer valid," he said. "The Socialists today are Liberals, and the Liberals support a measure of planned economy. There is need for a political reappraisal, for new political groups."

M. Faure said he may turn his attention to this question after October when he finishes two historical studies on which he is now engaged. One is on Turgot, the 18th-century French Finance Minister. The second is on the monetary policy of the Roman emperor Diocletian. *"These are my mental Sde Boker," M. Faure said. "I had to retire into myself before coming back into active politics again."*

Asked what repercussions he thought the Eichmann trial might arouse in Europe, M. Faure said he doubted Europe was interested. "What happened in 1942 is such a long way off. The death of six million raises less emotion than a girl crushed by a taxi next door. This is a well-known philosophical observation." Only those like himself, who lost some of their relatives in the Nazi extermination machine, would be moved by the story.

M. Faure said he would have preferred to see Eichmann tried by the Nuremburg court. "It was a pity the International Tribunal was disbanded. There is no way of restoring it now." He said he did not think the stress should be placed on Eichmann's anti-Jewish activity. "What should be brought out at the trial is the system which called for the annihilation of anybody whom the regime considered inimical, Jew or Catholic."

Police Probe Brutality, Lies of Two Members

TEL AVIV. — A special enquiry committee has been set up by the Commander of the Tel Aviv District Police, Nitzav Amos Ben-Gurion, to examine the conduct of two policemen who were censured for improper behaviour by Tel Aviv Magistrate's Court Judge Lea Ogen in a judgment handed down on March 23.

The judgment was handed down in the case of 17-year-old Meir Grigo, of Tel Aviv, who was arrested in June, 1959 on charges of disorderly conduct and insulting a policeman.

Mrs. Ogen acquitted the boy, and went on to say that the two policemen had involved themselves in a web of lies in trying to justify the unwarranted detention of the boy and their brutal treatment of him in bringing him in. *(Itim)*

Cables in Brief

MARRIAGE. — The 38-year-old brother of the Dalai Lama, Thubten Jigme Norbu, is to marry a 16-year-old Tibetan girl, Kumchok Sakyapa, county officials said in Coupeville, Washington, yesterday.

GALVAO. — Captain Henrique Galvao, who captured the Portuguese liner Santa Maria in the Caribbean last January, is to come to New York to address an African Freedom Day Rally on April 17. He is now living in Brazil.

FASTER. — Moscow Radio claimed yesterday that 160 m.p.h. railway coaches will soon help reduce the Moscow-Leningrad travelling time (560kph) to about four hours.

KARENS. — Karen rebels who wrecked the Mandalay-Rangoon express last week, killing 23 passengers, have been trapped by Burmese government troops in a grass jungle in the Sittang River valley, army sources reported in Rangoon yesterday.

FAIR. — Jordan is to hold an agricultural industrial fair this year. The fair, covering 25 acres, will be open from August 21 to September 4. It is expected to attract 250,000 visitors from Jordan alone.

TALKS. — Premier Khrushchev yesterday had talks with a Chinese trade delegation now visiting Moscow, the Soviet news agency Tass reported.

LYDDA FLIGHTS

WEDNESDAY

All Times Local Time

ARRIVALS: B.O.A.C. 300 from Teheran 0735. El Al 204 from New York, London and Amsterdam — 1900. El Al 318 from Istanbul 1915. T.W.A. 800 from Chicago, New York, Paris, Rome and Athens 2000. El Al 404 from Rome 2030. B.E.A. 126 from London, Rome and Athens — 2050. El Al 434 from Munich and Athens 2140. Swissair 330 from Zurich, Geneva, and Athens — 2255.

DEPARTURES: El Al 306 to Nicosia — 0700. El Al 433 to Athens and Munich — 0800. B.O.A.C. 309 to Geneva and London — 0830. El Al 331 to Rome, London and New York — 0900. Air France 136 to Rome and Paris — 0915. Olympic 606 to Athens — 0950. Cyprus Air 33 to Nicosia — 1030. El Al 318 to Istanbul — 1200. Cyprus Air 07 to Nicosia — 2230.

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ON THE AIR

FIRST PROGRAMME
482, 216.4, 340, 190 M.

News: Hebrew: 6.00, 7.00 and 7.00 a.m. 1.30, 5.00, 7.00, 9.00 and 11.00 p.m.

6.00 a.m. Religious Service (R). 6.10 Musical Clock. 6.30 Exercises. 6.40 Musical Clock (R). 6.56 Programme Announcements. 7.17 Morning Melodies. 8.00 Close Down.

11.00 a.m. Programme Announcements. 11.01 Popular Concert: Rimsky-Korsakov: Suite from "Tsar Saltan"; Saint-Saens: Variations on a theme by Beethoven; Delius: Dance Rhapsody No. 2; Meyerbeer: "Les Patineurs". 12.00 Women's Programme. 12.30 French Lesson. 12.45 Lunchtime Music. 1.45 Where to Go? 2.30 Close Down.

4.59 p.m. Opening. 5.05 Announcements. 5.06 "B'oolei Torah." 5.15 First Broadcast—Ruth Mayerfeld (Piano): Brahms: Variations on a theme by Schumann. 5.35 Hebrew Language Corner. 5.50 The Kol Yisrael Orchestra — Grieg: Two Symphonic Dances, opus 64 (Conductor: Heinz Freudenthal); Bardini: Violin Concerto (Soloist: Shimon Mishory, Conductor: Amihud Elroi); Yehuda Wohl: "Fata Morgana" (Conductor: Georg Singer). 6.30 Youth Corner. 6.57 Daily News Service for the Agriculturist. 7.20 Requests for Songs and Dances. 7.40 "At the Histadrut" — ed. by N. Cohen. 8.00 The Radio Magazine. 8.05 "The Song of Songs" — Cantata by Ezra Aharon. 8.30 Archaeological Expedition in the Judean Desert — ed. by Micha Shagrig and Yigal Lussin. 8.50 Bible Reading: Micha, Chaps. 5 & 6. 9.15 Newsreel. 9.29 Spot Announcement. 9.30 Opera: Mozart: "Bastien et Bastienne". 10.30 "A Moment of Poetry." 10.32 Literary Corner. 11.10 Close Down.

SECOND PROGRAMME
400 & 422.5 M.

Commercial Programme: 3.59 p.m. Opening. 4.00 Programme for Tourists, presented by Yehuda Lev. 5.00 News. 5.05 Announcement. 5.06 "Tune & Melody". 5.45 Israel Songs. 6.00 "From the Newsroom". 6.02 New Records. 6.17 "Why Not?" — Miniatures — ed. by D. Ben-Avi and presented by R. Michaely. 6.40 R. Conway (Piano). 6.55 "From the Newsroom". 6.57 The Stock Market. 6.59 Close Down.

9.30 Opening. 9.31 "Entertainment 61". 10.15 "From the Newsroom". 10.17 Nations' Songs. 10.42 Quiet Music. 11.00 News. 11.10 Close Down.

IMMIGRANTS' HOUR: 7.00 p.m. Programme in Easy Hebrew. 7.30 News in Easy Hebrew. 7.45 Rumanian. 8.00 Yiddish. 8.30 Ladino. 9.00 News in French. 9.15 News in English.

ARABIC PROGRAMME

Arabic Programme (including News): 6.30-7.15 a.m., 1.15-2.15, 6.30-11.15 p.m.

KOL YISRAEL LAGOLA (25.3 M.): Programme to the U.K.: 10.15 News. 10.25 "I Want to Know..." Kol Zion's panel speaks with listeners abroad. 10.45 News Headlines & Close Down.

Programme to South Africa: 6.45 News. 6.55 "From the Federation." 7.00 "I Want to Know..." Kol Zion's panel speaks with listeners abroad. 7.15 News Headlines & Close Down.

ARMY PROGRAMME (214, 336 and 230 M.): 6.00 Opening. 6.05 Songs at your Request. 6.45 Star of the Evening. 6.58 Announcements. 7.00 News. 7.10 "Encore"—Yehudi Menuhin. 7.30 Musical Miniatures. 8.00 The Jazz Club. 8.30 "Army's Diary". 8.45 Military Music. 9.00 News. 9.15 "On Volunteers & Tigers" — Programme written by ...

lamit Har-Even. 10.00 Dance Music. 10.30 Close Down.

B.B.C. HEBREW BROADCASTS (31.25, 25.12 & 19.51 M.): 7.15-7.45 p.m. News. News Comment. In the Jewish World.

UNITED NATIONS (13.83 and 19.73 M.): 9.30 a.m. News in Hebrew.

CYPRUS BROADCASTING CORPORATION — English Programme (434 & 406 M.): News: 7.30 a.m. 2.00, 7.00, 11.00 p.m.

7.45 a.m. The Coca Cola Programme. 8.00 Melodies & Memories. 8.30 Housewives' Choice. 9.00 Miniature Concert. 9.30 Strange Last Words. 9.45 Piano Playtime. 10.00 The Melody Dance Band. 10.30 Edmundo Ros. 11.00 The Final Year. 11.15 Light Music. 11.30 Women's Magazine. 12.00 Midday Melodies. 2.15 p.m. "The Name is Shane". 2.30 Wednesday Matinee. 6.45 The Lanitis Programme. 7.15 I Give and Bequeath. 10.00 Emergency. 10.15 Stars of Song. 10.30 Teller of Tales.

VOICE OF AMERICA
English Programme

5.00 a.m. News. 5.15 United Nations in Action — On-The-Scene-Coverage of the UN Proceedings. 6.00 News. 6.15 United Nations in Action. 7.00 News. 7.15 Commentators' Digest — Cross Section of Reports and Comments by Radio and TV News Analysts on Key Issues of the Day. 8.00 Report to Europe: News; News Analysis; Regional Feature — to be announced. 9.00 Report to Africa: News; Regional Feature — to be announced.

3.00 p.m. Report to South Asia: News; Regional Feature — Report on 13th Annual Meeting of Association for Asian Studies in Chicago. 4.00 News; News Analysis. 4.15 The Feminine Touch — Mass Produced Fashions. 5.00 News; News Analysis. 5.15 Report to Middle East; Regional Feature — to be announced. 6.00 News. 6.15 Commentators' Digest — Repeat of 7.15. 7.00 Report to Middle East: News; Regional Feature — Repeat of 5.15. 7.30 Listener's Log — to be announced. 8.00 Report to Africa: News; Regional Feature — Repeat of 9.00 Feature. 8.30 The Feminine Touch — Repeat of 4.15. 8.45 Journalists' Digest — Excerpts from the News Analysis of Prominent US Newspaper Columnists. 9.00 News in Special English. 9.15 Music, USA (Popular) — Popular Singers. 10.00 News in Special English. 10.15 Music, USA (Jazz) — John Lewis, also: J. Lewis with the Modern Jazz Quartet. 11.00 News; News Analysis. 11.15 New Horizons in Science — to be announced. 11.30 American Science — Aspects of Age of Space — Communications in Space Age. 12.00 News; News Analysis. 12.15 The Feminine Touch — Repeat of 8.30.

Where to go

JERUSALEM

• **Theatre:** —
Habimah: "The Miracle Worker". Edison, 3.30, 9 p.m.

• **New Israel Films:** —
Daily showings, Keren Hayesod Hall, 12 noon, 1 p.m.

• **Five o'clock tea:** —
Holyland Hotel Dancing every Saturday night. Transport: Hotel bus opp. Taxi Israel. Tel. 24498/99/90.

• **Tours:** —
Hebrew University: Conducted tour in English, at 11 a.m. daily. Downstairs Lobby, Wise Auditorium, University Campus.
Yad Vashem: Martyrs and Heroes Memorial Authority, Har Hasikaron. Conducted tour (English) of the buildings and exhibition, 10-12. Open till 4 p.m.
Hadassah tour at 9 a.m. daily: Hadassah Club, Straus Health Centre, Tel. 24061.

• **Exhibitions:** —
Archaeological Museum Department of Antiquities, 25 Rehov Shlomo Hamelech. New exhibitions: Tel Mor excavations. New excavation at Asor. Exhibit of the month: Philistine pottery from Asor. Permanent Antiquities Exhibition, 9-1, 3-5.
Spring Exhibition of Jerusalem Artists, Artists' House, 10-1, 4-6. "Israel Today" permanent exhibition, Binyanei Ha'ooma, 10-1, 4-6.
Aquarelles and gouaches by Mordechai Avniel, Arikha, Avni, Avniel, Bar-El, Bergner, Bezena, Caftori, Ellul, Fima, Halevy, Hesse, Kahana, Moreno, Nikel, Raffi, Tumarkin, Uri, Zaritsky. Rina Gallery, 13 Rehov Shlomzion Hamalka, Tel. 23523. 9-1, 4-7.
Bezalel National Museum, Permanent exhibition of Jewish Ceremonial Art. Archaeological objects. Three Landscape Painters (Menahem Shemi, Mordechai Levanon, Yehiel Krize). "Joy in Shushan" Purim Exhibition, Seder Table. Paintings by Lea Nikel (Israel-Paris); Works by Adolphe Milich (visiting Israel), 8-10 p.m.
Bezalel Art Library. Butterflies and insects in spring (coloured reproductions). New Acquisitions, 9-1, 2.30-5.

• **Zoo:** —
Jerusalem Biblical Zoo; 8-5.30.

TEL AVIV

• **Theatre:** —
Ohel: "The Witch", 3.30, 8.30.

• **Queen of Jazz:** —
Ella Fitzgerald and the Oscar Peterson Trio, Tel Aviv Cinema, 9 p.m.

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• **Tours:** —
Moetzet Hapoalot, Pioneer Women. Free tour from Sunday through Wednesday, 9 a.m., from the Va'ad Hapoel Bldg., 93 Rehov Arlosoroff, Tel Aviv. Tel. 21211.

• **Tourist Service:** —
Visit Hadassah Club, 30 Rehov Hayarkon, Tel. 23289.
Wise Club, 91 Rehov Hayarkon, Tel. 36825, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.
Z.O.A. House, 9 a.m.-9 p.m.

• **Zoological Gardens:** —
Open 8 a.m. — 6 p.m. daily.

• **Exhibitions:** —
Rubinstein Pavilion, Tarsat Blvd. 80 sculptures by Hanna Orlof. 10-1, 4-7.
Dizengoff House, General 1961 Exhibition of Israel Artists. 10-1, 4-7.
Ancient glass and Wedgewood Pottery, Museum Ha'aretz, 1-8. Tel Aviv Historical Museum, Beit Shenkar, 26 Rehov Bialik. 9-1 (excepting Mondays, Saturdays and festivals).
Paintings and sculptures by non-members of the Israel Painters and Sculptors Assoc., Art Pavilion, 9 Rehov Alharizi, 10-1, 4-7.
The Kibbutz Family, Tel Aviv Fair Grounds, open 10 a.m.—12 midnight. Amphitheatre performances: "The Family is Gay in the Morning," 10.30 a.m.; "One Portion for Youth," 4.30 p.m.; "It Happens in the Family," 8.30 p.m. Tickets at agencies and at the box office. Transport in Tel Aviv, buses 91, 92 and taxis, to Tel Aviv by Egged.

HAIFA

• **Tourist Centre:** —
Hadassah Club Youth Aliya Offices, 22 Hehalutz, Tel. 4676, 67955.

• **Exhibitions:** —
Museum of Japanese Art, 89 Shderot Hanassi, Mt. Carmel. New display: Japanese folk art. 10-1, 4-7.
Israel paintings (selected from Museum collection). Municipal Museum of Modern Art, Rehov Bialik, 10-1, 4-7.
Ethnological Museum, 19 Rehov Arlosoroff: 1. Ethiopia—Profiles and Folklore. 2. Hungarian Folk Art. Exhibition of the month: "Pardon-Brooch" from Brittany, 10-1, 6-8.30; Closed Mondays.
Annual General Exhibition of Artists and Sculptors Association, Haifa and Northern District. Artists' House, 24 Shderot U.N., 10-1, 3-7.

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• **Exhibition:** —
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HAIFA: Dr. Sherman, 3 Hanevi'im, 2456.

Cinemas

JERUSALEM
3.30, 6.45, 8.45

CHEN: The Misfits
EDEN: Ben-Hur (3.30, 8)
EDISON: The Shaggy Dog (3.30, 6.45)
HABIBAH: Carry on Constable
JERUSALEM: Gigi
OR GIL: The Big Circus
ORION: Strangers When We Meet
ORNA: Assy Anzak (3.30, 6.30, 8.45)
RON: Vicious Circle
SEMADAR: La Femme et le Pantin
STUDI: Rio Bravo (3.30, 6.30, 8.45)
TEL OR: Les Vieux de la Vieille
ZION HALL: Visit to a Small Planet

TEL AVIV
(3.30, 7.15, 9.15)

ALLENBY: The Ten Commandments (4, 8)
ARMON DAVID: World by Night (7.15, 9.30)
BEN YEHUDA: The Matador
CHEN: Vienna Ice Revue (4, 7.30, 9.30)
EDEN: Street of Love (3.30, 6.30, 9)
ESTHER: Lili
GAT: Vienna Ice Revue (3.30, 7, 9)
HOD: Pollyanna
MAXIM: A Bout de Souffle
MIGDALOR: The Great Impostor
MOGRABI: Let No Man Write My Epitaph (3.30, 7.15, 9.30)
OPHIR: Austerlitz (3.30, 9.30)
ORION: The World By Night
PARIS: An American in Paris 3.30, 7.30, 9.30)
PEER: The Ten Commandments (4, 8)
SHDEROT: Some Like It Hot (7.15, 9.30)
TAMAR: Le Capitain (10, 12, 2, 4, 7.15, 9.15)
TCHELET: Pique Dame (7.15, 9.30)
TEL AVIV: The Golden Age of Comedy
YARON: The Bellboy (3.30, 7.15, 9.30)
ZAFON: Can-Can (7, 9.30)
ZAMIR: The Flaming Star
RAMAT GAN: Midnight Lace (7.15, 9.30)

HAIFA

AMPHITHEATRE: Legions of the Nile
ARMON: The Chaplin Revue
ATZMON: Ben-Hur (3.30, 7.30)
EN DOR: Return of Captain America (6.45, 9)
GAL OR: Le Proces de Nuremberg
MAY: Never on Sunday
MIRON: The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn
MORIAH: Circus Durov
ORAH: The Misfits
ORION: Tarzan (non-stop matinees from 10 a.m. and at 4, 6.45 and 9 p.m.)
ORLY: The Savage Innocents (6.45, 9)
PEER: The Big Circus
TAMAR: South Pacific (3.30, 6.30, 9)

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P.R. 128/61

In the matter of the late Jakob Fallenbaum, of London, deceased on January 1, 1940.

Petitioner Yehudit Frankel represented by Dr. H. Kapka and Dr. A. Reiness, Advocates, of 3 Rehov Herzl, Haifa.

Citation — Let it be known that the said petitioner has applied to this Court for an order declaring the succession of the said deceased.

We hereby cite all persons to appear within the date of publication hereof, and show cause, if any they have, why an order declaring the succession of the said deceased should not be granted, as in default such order will be made as to the Court seems right.

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Algeria

(Continued from Page One)

rian Provisional Government" in Tunis said the two Ministers, Mohammed Yazid (Information) and Abdel Hafid Boussouf (Armaments), met Mr. Walmsley on Monday.

In Berne, Switzerland, yesterday it was announced that the "Algerian Provisional Government" had informed the Swiss authorities that its representatives to the Evian peace talks would not arrive in Geneva today as originally planned.

Swiss Government sources said that while the Algerians gave no indication of when they intended to come to Geneva, there was nothing in the message to suggest that they were renouncing the negotiations.

Tunis reports on the talks between the U.S. Ambassador and insurgent Ministers said Mr. Walmsley met President Habib Bourguiba of Tunisia Monday before seeing the Algerian officials. The "Provisional Government" met yesterday and was understood to be discussing the talks with the U.S. envoy.

After the meeting with Mr. Walmsley, M. Yazid told a press conference the Algerians remained ready for negotiations and affirmed their "goodwill."

Negotiations at Evian could start if France cleared up the "misunderstanding" about the role of the rival Algerian national movement (MNA), he said. *(AP, Reuter)*

Peking Releases U.S. Businessman

PEKING (Reuter). — An elderly American was on his way home yesterday after his wife made a "simple woman's appeal" to have him freed after spending 10 years in a Chinese jail.

The man, Robert McCann, 60, left here with his wife after arriving earlier today from Tientsin, where he was jailed for 15 years in 1951 for alleged spying.

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The Weather

Forecast: Partly cloudy to fair, with lower temperatures and more humidity.

Weather Synopsis: The low which caused sharav conditions yesterday has moved to the East, Cooler air flowing to the region from the sea.

	A	B	C
Mt. Cana'an	60	9—22	8—19
Tiberias	59	6—20	13—28
Nazareth	43	15—25	12—20
Haifa Port	77	13—22	11—20
Natanya	58	14—26	12—24
T.A Kirya	69	14—26	11—23
T.A. Port	58	14—29	12—22
Lydda Airp.	47	11—30	8—24
Jerusalem	37	15—24	11—19
Beersheba	30	16—29	10—25
Sdom	29	18—31	16—29
Eilat	28	18—32	15—30

A) Humidity at 8 p.m. B) Yesterday's Temperature range C) Today's Temperature forecast

ARRIVALS

Mr. Bediako Poku, the Ghanaian Ambassador, from a holiday in England (by Olympic).

Mr. Sergiu Comissiona, the conductor, from a concert tour in Europe, with Mrs. Comissiona (in the s.s. Messapia).

Dr. Henry Linschitz, Professor of Chemistry at Brandeis University, to be Visiting Professor of Physical Chemistry at the Hebrew University during the next four months, under the Fulbright programme.

Mrs. Blanche Fine, Vice-President of Pioneer Women of the U.S. and Canada, and Mr. Sam Fine, for a month's visit.

Mr. Harry Levine, of the American Committee for the Weizmann Institute, and Mr. Sam Rothberg, to attend the opening of Beit Golomb, as guests of the Museum's Board (by El Al).

Messrs. and Mmes. Judah S. Hellman, of Forest Hills, New York; Hyman M. Myers, of Haddonfield, New Jersey, and Leon Rosenbaum, of New York — all under the auspices of the Bond Organization.

DEPARTURES

Mr. Natan Peled, to take up his post as Israel Ambassador to Vienna, accompanied by Mrs. Peled (by El Al).

Mr. David Bar to Buenos Aires, to take up his post as Economic Attaché at the Israel Embassy (by El Al).

Sir Ben Lockspeiser, Chairman of the Development Ministry's Technological Advisory Board, after a short business visit (by El Al).

Mr. Mordechai Surkis, Chairman of the Union of Local Authorities, to Vienna, for a meeting of the Executive of the International Union of Local Authorities (by El Al).

Mr. Yehezkel Sahar, to Vienna and Geneva, on Discount Bank business (by Sahena).

Mr. Michael Assaf, Chairman of the Israel Journalists' Federation, for Amsterdam, to attend the week-long meeting of the Executive of the World Journalists' Federation (by El Al).

THEATRE GUILD TROUPE ARRIVES

LYDDA AIRPORT. — The 61-member Theatre Guild American Repertory Theatre arrived yesterday for a week's stay as guests of the American Embassy and Habimah Theatre, as part of a world tour.

The troupe will present two performances each of "The Glass Menagerie," "The Miracle Worker," and "By the Skin of Our Teeth," before leaving for Ankara on April 10.

12 EAST NIGERIANS FOR ORT TRAINING

LYDDA AIRPORT. — A group of 12 young men from East Nigeria arrived by El Al yesterday for advanced training courses at the ORT vocational school in Natanya.

Wounded Scout Leader Taken Off Danger List

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — The Natanya Scout leader who was shot Monday while hiking in the Ein Gedi area was yesterday taken off the danger list at the Kupat Holim hospital here.

Twenty-four-year-old Amos Mesika, was one of the eight adults accompanying a group of 30 scouts aged 15 and 16 in a climb through Ma'aleh Ha'lasiyim, four kilometres west of Ein Gedi.

Police investigators believe the rifle shot was fired by a Jordanian sniper or by a Beduin in Jordanian territory. The border runs about 100 metres from the scene of the incident.

Mesika was hit in the back, and from the course the bullet took in his body it is clear the shot was fired from above.

After checking every weapon carried by the hikers, police found that no shot had been fired from any of them. The group had with them six rifles, one Uzi sub-machine gun and one pistol.

No other group of hikers was in the vicinity at the time.

(See "Security"—Page 2.)

Gabbaim Meet In J'lem Today

Jerusalem Post Reporter

A national conference of synagogue wardens will open today at Hechal Shlomo, Jerusalem, to discuss the formation of a national synagogue federation.

At least 1,500 synagogues are said to have agreed to join the proposed body. The initiative was taken by Hechal Shlomo and its union of some 800 synagogues.

Teachers Wage Talks Continue As Holiday's End Approaches

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Another top-level meeting on the question of teachers' salaries is to be held today in Tel Aviv between Finance Minister Levi Eshkol, Education Minister Abba Eban, Histadrut Secretary-General Aharon Becker, and the Directors-General of the two Ministries, Dr. Hanoch Rinot and Dr. Ya'acov Arnon respectively.

It is understood that the suggested salary increases which were to have been discussed today by the Ministerial Committee provided for the IL7-IL42.50 increases proposed by the Halperin Committee but with certain modifications in the benefits paid to younger teachers. The Ministerial Committee meeting was called off to enable Mr. Eban to hold further consultations with the Histadrut Teachers Union, which is demanding IL30-IL70 increases.

With schools scheduled to reopen on Monday, the Ministers are making all-out efforts to formulate proposals acceptable to all.

The spokesman of the striking independent Secondary School Teachers Association said yesterday, however, that to judge from reports of the increases being considered by the Government it was doubtful that the secondary school teachers would return to their classrooms.

He added that as long as the Government insisted on keeping the present 83:100 ratio of elementary school teachers' salaries to those of the secondary school teachers, the Government did not appear likely to approach the Association's minimum increase demands of IL40-IL80.

The spokesman reiterated the Association's proposal for the establishment of a "panel of experts" to decide to what extent university-trained teachers were being discriminated against in comparison with university-trained members of other professions.

Mr. Eban will probably meet the Association tomorrow and the Ministerial Committee is expected to meeet on Sunday. The Association's Executive is scheduled to meet today for a review of the situation before meeting with Mr. Eban.

The Education Ministry spokesman told *The Jerusalem Post* yesterday that changing the link alone was no solution. There were also the demands on marginal benefits to be considered. The first step towards an overall solution would be to settle the question of pay for certificated teachers, who are mainly the elementary school teachers organized in the Histadrut Teachers Union.

The question of retroactivity is said to be a subsidiary problem to be settled once increases are decided on. The Union's demand that increases be retroactive to last September (when the last labour contract expired) has not been welcomed by the authorities. The Halperin Committee's recommendations, as they stand, would cost IL8m. a year. Full retroactivity would amount to at least another IL8m.

Tiberias Education Toll Said Illegal

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Tiberias Municipality illegally collected an education tax in 1957-58 and 1958-59, the State Comptroller said in a report released yesterday.

The report covers the period from 1954-55 to 1958-59, with some data until the end of December, 1960. It says that in 1957-58 Tiberias began collecting IL14 from the parents of elementary school pupils and IL20 from the parents of kindergarten children, and continued to collect the toll although the Education Ministry did not approve this tax in the next fiscal year.

The report criticised the city for

- its unsound bookkeeping and business practices (it paid its debts in checks it had received as payments);
- its failure to set up a closed bookkeeping system for its Water Department;
- its failure to collect rates properly;
- all stating sums not in line with budget appropriation;
- allowing the Mayor to concentrate in his own hands control of 14 departments — "which might impose a too heavy work load on him" — instead of combining some of these departments and delegating authority.

2 STABBED TO DEATH IN VILLAGE FRACAS

Jerusalem Post Reporter

KFAR JAT. — Mohammed Abdul Razek Shamaya, 52, and his son Hashem, 25, were stabbed to death in a fight between two feuding families in this Triangle village Monday night.

Three villagers have been detained on suspicion of murder.

No Germans Are Willing To Testify, Wechtenbruch Says

LYDDA AIRPORT. — Mr. Dieter Wechtenbruch, assistant to Dr. Robert Servatius in Adolf Eichmann's defence, said yesterday he had not succeeded in finding defence witnesses in Germany.

Mr. Wechtenbruch, who returned early in the morning from Germany, said the defence had drawn up a list of Israelis whom it might call as witnesses, though no decision has been taken on this question.

He confirmed that the two El Al personnel, called as witnesses by the defence, would be asked to testify on the circumstances of Eichmann's capture in Argentina. The two are Captain Zvi Tohar, who was pilot of the plane that brought the Israel delegation to Argentina's 150th anniversary celebrations, and Mr. Yehuda Shimoni, who was the flight officer for the same trip.

About his search in Germany for witnesses, Mr. Wechtenbruch said that some of the persons approached feared to appear in an Israel court because under Israel law, any former member of the S.S. is liable to seven years' imprisonment. Other prospective witnesses did not want to appear because, they said, they had "had enough of this business."

He said the S.S. men who would have agreed to appear in an Israel court if not for fear of prosecution were not those who had worked with Eichmann. The S.S. men who had been associated with Eichmann did not even want to give affidavits for fear of getting their names involved in the affair, said Mr. Wechtenbruch.

Arriving in the same El Al plane were a number of German journalists who will cover the trial.

Historian Salo Baron To Testify in Trial

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Jewish historian, Dr. Salo W. Baron, of New York, is to testify at the Eichmann trial, *The Jerusalem Post* learns.

Professor Baron, of Columbia University, is only one of several non-Israelis who have been asked to testify. The names of the others are expected to be revealed shortly.

The prosecution which sometime ago moved into Beit Ha'am, has contacted all the witnesses it intends to call, and is now putting the finishing touches to its case.

W. German Centre Briefs Newsmen

By a Special Correspondent

COLOGNE. — West German newspapermen who will cover the Eichmann trial were briefed on Nazi war crimes by the Centre for the Eludication of Nazi Crimes of Violence" at Ludwigsburg near Stuttgart last week.

Chief Prosecutor Erwin Schuele, head of the Centre, told the reporters that within the next two years 1,000 criminals and their accomplices will be brought to trial on charges of murder and manslaughter. Of these, 150 were already under arrest, with another 150 still at large in Germany and abroad.

Mr. Schuele gave a hitherto unpublished list of 25 major war criminals who had been instrumental in the "final solution of the Jewish problem" and who were usually referred to by the press as being "alive but untraceable." The Centre, he said, had investigated these cases and had conclusive evidence that 16 of the 25 were dead, and only one, SS Obersturmführer Schuman, was alive "in a foreign country." Repeated attempts to extradite him have been unsuccessful. Eight are under arrest.

Among those "reliably dead," Mr. Schuele listed Eichmann's boss, SS Gruppenführer Heinrich Müller (killed in action in 1945); SS Gruppenführer Dr. Max Thomas (died in 1945 in Würzburg, where he was living under an assumed name); SS Gruppenführer Odilo Globocnic (killed himself in 1945); SS Gruppenführer Friedrich Katzmann (died in Darmstadt in 1957), and SS Oberführer Dr. Oskar Dirlewanger (died in jail in 1945).

The trial will be attended by 52 West German newspapermen — 20 representing dailies, six — agencies, 10 — weeklies, five — student and youth journals, and 11 — radio, television, and newsreel services.

Full Alert On At Courthouse

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Full-scale security precautions at Beit Ha'am, site of the Eichmann trial, went into force late Monday afternoon with all persons entering being subjected to a thorough frisking.

Armed police patrol the area within the Beit Ha'am compound, and a police guard is mounted constantly over the bullet-proof glass dock in which Eichmann will sit.

Installation of all communications facilities has been completed. The Minister of Posts, Mr. Binyamin Mintz, accompanied by the Ministry's Director-General, Mr. Haim Ben-Menahem, yesterday visited the building to inspect the facilities.

The Eichmann trial bench has decided that the official protocol will include the stenographic record and a full tape recording of the proceedings.

Japanese forwards try to break through the Israel defence in yesterday's Handball International at the Maccabiah Stadium in Tel Aviv.

(Photo by Sussking)

Japan 16-15 In Handball Match

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Japan's handball selected defeated Israel 16-15 in a nip-and-tuck match at the Maccabiah Stadium here yesterday, after Israel led 9-8 at halftime.

Some 8,000 spectators turned out to see Israel play international handball for the first time.

The crowd delighted to the brilliant display of strategy of the Japanese forwards, who often had the entire Israel defence moving one way, while the ball was snapped in the opposite direction. Yamanda and Takeno sparked the victor's offensive with nine goals, while Sandler cracked in eight goals for Israel.

The match was refereed by Mr. Yoram Fried, Tel Aviv's Mayor Mordecai Namir and the Japanese Minister, Mr. Yoshiharu Takeno, greeted the players.

Japan will meet Hapoel Selected on Friday and Maccabi Selected on Saturday.

Amusement Spots Shut 'Remembrance' Eve

Jerusalem Post Reporter

All places of amusement will be closed next Wednesday night, the eve of the Holocaust and Heroism Remembrance Day (fixed by the Knesset as 27 Nissan).

Details of the memorial ceremonies were given by Dr. A. L. Kubovy, Chairman of Yad Vashem, at a press conference at the institution on Har Hazikaron in Jerusalem yesterday.

On Thursday, Remembrance Day, there will be no session of the Eichmann trial court which convenes on Tuesday.

For the first time, a specially designed six-branched memorial candelabrum will be lit in all public places, while a candle will be lit in Ohel Yizkor (Remembrance Tabernacle) at Yad Vashem. This candle will be relit each day by a representative of one of the more than 30,000 destroyed European Jewish communities, on the anniversary of its destruction.

More than 50 journalists, most of them come from abroad for the Eichmann trial, were yesterday conducted on a tour of the memorial buildings by Mr. Shmuel Spector, Secretary of Yad Vashem.

The buildings, which will cost an estimated IL1.5m. when finished, are about 100 metres from the main building which contains the institution's administrative offices, archives, library and study rooms.

The two memorial buildings are on either side of Kikar Hazikaron, which has a capacity of about 10,000 persons.

On the northern edge of the square is Ohel Yizkor. Its bottom section is made of ungainly, unhewn basalt stones brought from the Beisaan Valley. The top half, which is recessed slightly, is of unrelieved cement, giving it a gaunt aspect. To the huge metal doors are affixed tortured shapes, beaten from iron, recalling blasted and charred remnants of life. They are meant to resemble "The Valley of the Shadow of Death."

The roof of the tabernacle, as seen from within, gives the impression of being a low-laying tent roof. There are no windows in the building, and the source of the lighting, which will be subdued, will be concealed.

On the southern side of Kikar Hazikaron is a long, low-lying building.

The left wing, called the Hall of Martyrs because it will eventually contain the inscribed names of the Six Million (1,500,000 have already been collected), will for the time being house the Ot Ul'ed Exhibition. This exhibition will depict the history of Nazism.

The right wing, which will not be finished by Remembrance Day, will be a synagogue.

A 25-30-metre-high memorial pillar is to rise on the square itself. The precise form of this monument has not yet been decided, but probably it will have one word in Hebrew "*Zakor*" — "Remember" engraved at the top. Search lights will illuminate this word, and the pillar, at night.

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INDUSTRY, FINANCE and COMMERCE

Diamond Men Blame Tax Men For Plans to Shut Plants

By DAVID KRIVINE, Jerusalem Post Economic Reporter

The crisis in the diamond industry, involving a decision by the three employer organizations in this branch to close down all diamond factories except those in the development areas by April 16, has been brought about chiefly by ruffled relations with the income tax authorities, *The Jerusalem Post* learns from Government circles.

The manufacturers claim that their dealings with the tax authorities recently have interfered with their work, and they are shutting down in order to give all their attention to settling the matters under dispute.

The Treasury has for some time been dissatisfied with the methods used for assessing taxable income in the diamond industry, which has a tradition — here and abroad — of not keeping books. Written accounts are kept in the bigger firms, and a bonfire at a certain firm, apparently occasioned by the threat of a dismissed worker to denounce his employer, left unburnt shreds suggesting to the police that this company had destroyed documents which it did not wish the tax authorities to see.

Based on Honour Code

Trade in diamonds is based on a strict code of honour among the dealers, and the default of which Yitzhak Nagler is accused is understood to constitute a rare occurrence in the trade. Much of the commerce is based on mutual confidence. The diamond bourse has its own tribunal, and a dealer who appeals to the courts is excluded from the local bourse — which means that he is also barred from all bourses abroad.

The diamond polishers apparently expect the same relationship of mutual confidence with the authorities, and are aggrieved at the "high handed" investigations that have been launched into the accounts and on the premises of several companies.

At the same time some firms have been concealing certain practices, a fact which has served to cast suspicion on their colleagues.

Since the diamond industry requires little basic capital or training, small workshops have been spread over the development areas, to which diamonds are supplied by the dealers for polishing.

These small undertakings undercut the bigger firms by paying a little extra cash to their employees instead of heavy fringe benefits, and by not withholding income tax from the pay envelope.

The best workers in the big plants are therefore tempted to set up their own workshops, and their employers sometimes manage to retain them at the price of helping to conceal part of their earnings from the tax authorities.

The Ministry of Commerce and Industry has done its best to come to terms with the exceptional sensitivity of the diamond industry — to the point of gradually disbanding the Government-owned Diamond Development Corporation which had aroused the ire of the private interests.

The Corporation is no longer functioning in Tel Aviv and Natanya and will shortly leave Jerusalem, *The Jerusalem Post* learns. Plans are also afoot to end its activities in the development areas. This does not involve a major transfer of ownership, since the Corporation only owns training workshops and has confined itself to supplying diamonds for processing to local enterprises.

Rumours that the imminent shut-downs is due to export difficulties appear to be unfounded. During March alone, $2.35m. worth of diamonds were exported, as against $1.1m. worth in March, 1960.

Solel Boneh, Nepal To Form Company

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — The Nepal Government has concluded negotiations with Solel Boneh's Overseas Construction Corporation for the formation of a joint company to build roads and other public projects, *The Jerusalem Post* learns.

The initial investment will be $400,000 with the Nepal Government holding a majority interest.

THE NEWS OF THE WEEK ANALYSED IN
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All your favourite weekend reading in this special edition, as *The Post* will not be published on Friday, the last day of Passover. Among tomorrow's highlights are a debate on the direction of painting here; articles on Rehovot's 70th anniversary; an Israel doctor's account of service in Liberia; catching sharks in the Red Sea; diamond problems in Eilat. Outstanding literary articles include a review of Shirer's book on the Third Reich, and David Daiches on the modern English novel.
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Tel Aviv Stock Markets

	3/4	4/4
$ LINKED		
3½% Tavel $	98½	99½
3½% Emuded $	87½	87½
4½% Def. Loan	108½	108½
6% Hous. Loan H	102½	102½
6½% " H	103½	103½
6½% P.E.C. 57/64	109½	109½
5% Nat'l Oil Co.	96½	97
6% K. Hay. III	103½	103½
6% Fert. & Chem.	101½	101½
Local Author. 58/68	104½	105½
C.O.L. LINKED		
4½% Def. Loan	108	108
4½% Hous. Loan "A"	104½	104½
6½% P.E.C. 57/64	121½	121½
6% K. Hay. III	105½	105½
Local Authorities	106	106½
50%/50% $ C.-o.-L. LINKED		
6% Ind. Dev. Bank	97½	97½
5% Pal. Elect.	99½	99½
6% Bank Leumi Invest	100½	100½
ORD. & PREF SHRS		
P.E.C. Stock	530	531
4½% P.E.C. 2nd Pref	459	458
B'k. Leumi 'A' Ord. St.	463	460
Gen. Mort. B'k. (new)	455	456
Bank Leumi Inv.	430	431½
Rassco Pref.	186	186
Otsar Hit. Hayehudit		
Registered	371½	371½
Bearer	391	393
Hous. Mort. Bank	153½	153½
Ellern Invest.	334½	334½
Africa Pal. Inv.	349½	349½
I.L.D.C. (new)	375	375
Ata Ord. 'B'	214½	214
Ata Ord. 'B' (new)	199½	199½
Ata Def. (Reg.)	190½	190½
Moller Text	139	139
Phoenicia (Reg.)	119	121½
Assis & Bej. Bro.	265	265
Pal. Potash	518	515½
Dead Sea Foun.	351	357
Teva	270	270
Pal. Cold Stor.	230	231
Paper Mills	189½	189½
Alliance	22.45	22.45
Delek	358	355
Delek 11/19	364	366
Jordan Explor.	113½	102½
Nehushtan	139½	139½
Fert. & Chem.	134½	134½
Dubek	127½	127½
ISRAEL		
Is. Rassco Inv. Co.	134	135½
OTHER		
Lapidoth	3.98	4.06
Naphta	137	140
Rassco (1960)	167½	166½
Shemen	106½	106½
Isr. Dev. & Mort. Bk.	167½	165

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YESTERDAY'S TREND

Dollar Bonds	Higher
Index Bonds	Steady
Ord. Shares	Irregular

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1,000 New Flats For the Old

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BAT YAM. — One thousand flats for aged persons will soon be built in 12 localities throughout the country in a project to be jointly financed by the Labour Ministry Malben, and the Histadrut. The Government will pay for a janitor in every building to help with heavy work.

This was announced by the Minister of Labour, Dr. Giora Josephthal, at a press conference here yesterday.

Dr. Josephthal said that 3,000 families living in crowded conditions (dwelling units of less than 45 sq. metres) will receive assistance in either enlarging their flats or moving to larger quarters. Of this number about 1,500 families will add a room to their present flats and 2,000 will move. For another 500 families, larger quarters will be made available by joining two small flats. The project will cost from IL30m. to IL12m. and will be realised within the next two years, Dr. Josephthal said.

EXPORTS UP $4.3m. IN FIRST QUARTER

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Israel exported $76.6m. worth of goods in the first quarter of this year, as compared with $72.3m. during the corresponding period last year, the Central Bureau of Statistics and the Ministry of Commerce and Industry announced yesterday.

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Employees' cards will this year be sent directly to employers by tax assessing officers, not later than April 20, 1961.

Employers who do not receive these cards by that date should apply to the assessing officers as from April 21, 1961.

In addition to employees' cards, employers will receive copies of Forms 129 and 130 for distribution to employees required to fill them in.

Form 129 is intended for those employees declaring that they support dependants, and who wish to obtain tax allowances on this account. Form 130 is intended for part-time employees, for the employers' declaration naming the salary paid to a part-time employee, and the amount deductible in income tax from this salary.

Notice concerning return of employees' cards for the previous tax year will be published separately.

E. SHARON
Deputy Income Tax Commissioner.

In My Opinion

By JOSHUA RON
Sales Promotion

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* Top movie in Tel Aviv: "The Golden Age of Comedy" (Tel Aviv.)

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* Top movie in Jerusalem: "Ben Hur" (Edea).

SO MANY TOURISTS in the country and all looking for something to take home. Besides buying a host of gifts, of course, all take home impressions of the country, most good, some a little discouraging.

We still hear complaints about the service in some of the hotels but, happily enough, not nearly as many as last year, so that's already a good sign that conditions are improving.

But even the discouraging impressions are absorbed by friends of Israel and they too are interested in knowing our future development plans and in watching us grow.

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1960

31.12.59 IL	Share Capital	IL	IL
	Authorised:		
200,000	400,000 Ordinary Shares of IL1 each		400,000
800,000	160,000 Ordinary Shares of IL10 each		1,600,000
1,000,000			2,000,000
	Issued and Paid:		
168,185	240,000 Ordinary Shares of IL1 each		240,000
374,125	62,494 Ordinary Shares of IL10 each		624,940
542,310			864,940
357,690	General Reserves (including IL2,430 Share Premium Account)		826,060
900,000			1,690,000
27,110,324	Current, Deposit, Savings and Other Accounts incl. Provision for Contingencies, Taxes, Income received in advance and Balance of Profit and Loss Account		35,232,634
6,239,227	Special Deposits and Other Accounts of or in connection with Government or Government Institutions		6,243,126
13,815	Subsidiary Companies		33,544
	Liabilities on Account of Customers		
2,750,557	Confirmed Documentary Credits	2,750,613	
8,665,419	Guarantees, Acceptances, Bills rediscounted, etc.	13,637,384	
			16,383,997
49,977,373			59,173,699

31.12.59 IL		IL	IL
	Cash in Hand and Balances with		
11,933,831	Bank of Israel	19,307,304	
6,916,365	Banks in Israel and Abroad	5,054,777	24,362,081
	Securities		
	Securities of or guaranteed by the Government of Israel and U.K. Government securities, at Cost or		
776,048	Min., at Cost, or Market value, whichever lower	454,908	
	Other securities:		
228,181	Quoted, at Cost or Market value, whichever lower	678,201	
396,083	Unquoted, at or under cost	720,711	1,398,910
	Subsidiary Companies		
2,630	Shares, at cost	2,792	
37,135	Advances	38,099	40,891
7,750,184	Loans, Advances, Bills Discounted and Other Accounts, less Provision for Doubtful Debts		9,182,549
6,788,893	Loans relative to Special Deposits and Other Accounts of or in connection with Government Institutions		6,738,372
650,000	Bank Premises and Equipment, at cost, less amounts written off		750,000
	Liabilities of Customers		
2,750,557	Confirmed Documentary Credits	2,750,613	
8,665,419	Guarantees, Acceptances, Bills rediscounted etc.	13,637,384	16,383,997
49,977,373			59,173,699

Statement pursuant to section 107 of the Companies Ordinance 1952-1959: The Profits of the Subsidiary Companies have not been included in the above accounts.

On behalf of the Board of Directors:
Hermann Ellern, Director — David S. Brenan, Director

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Hermann Ellern, Director — David S. Brenan, Director

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF ELLERN'S BANK

We have audited the above Balance Sheet and the Profit and Loss Account annexed thereto, and have obtained all the information and explanations which, to the best of our knowledge and belief, were necessary for the purpose of our audit. We have verified the cash in hand and with banks, the bills discounted and the securities. In our opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the Bank, so far as it appears from our examination thereof.

The said Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account are in agreement with the books of account. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the said Balance Sheet gives a true and fair view of the state of the Bank's affairs as at December 31, 1960, and the Profit and Loss Account gives a true and fair view of the result of the business of the Bank for the year ended on that date.

Tel Aviv, March 30, 1961.

BAWLY, MILLNER, RISCK & Co.
Certified Public Accountants (Isr.)

BEIT GOLOMB OPENING TODAY

Museum as Memorial to Man Behind the Hagana

Jerusalem Post Staff

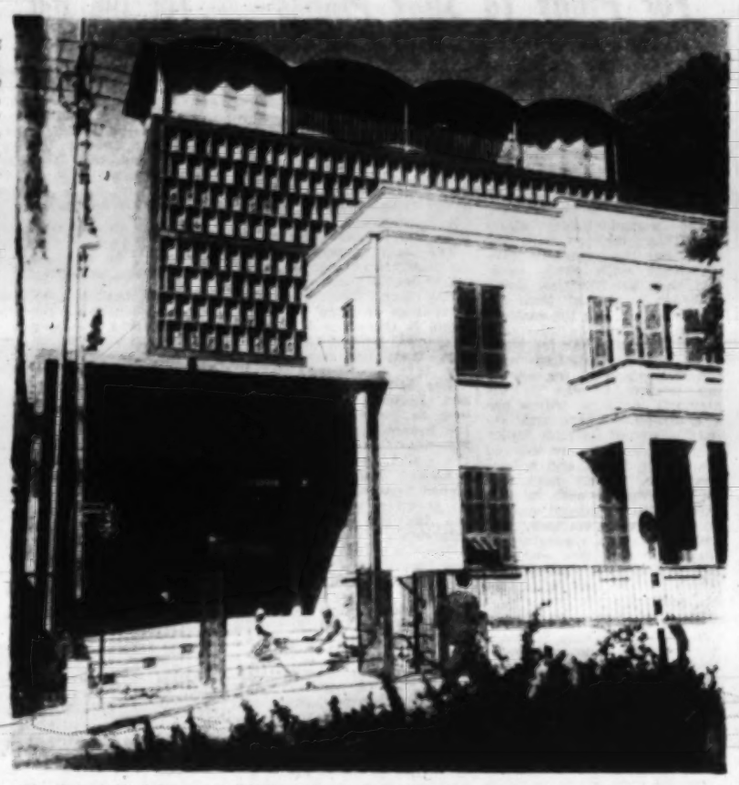
A GROUP of sad-looking people sat around a big table which occupied the centre of a small room. Each spoke in turn, recalling the nerve-racking days when the late owner of the house presided at this very table over urgent discussions regarding the security of the Yishuv. The house was now sold, and was to be replaced soon by a giant project — a sky-scraper full of offices.

Then suddenly the late Yehuda Arazi, an old intimate of the house, said: "Why not keep this place and make it a museum for Hagana?" He was quickly supported by Avraham Ikar. Eliahu Golomb, the man who made the Hagana a real force, surely was entitled to some permanent recognition of his work. And Mrs. Golda Meir, who was also present, took up the idea with an energy worthy of the old underground defenders of Israel.

So the project of Beit Golomb was born. An appeal was launched to former members of the Hagana to buy "bricks" for the project. The response was less enthusiastic, perhaps, than anticipated, for there was no organized collection. But local authorities contributed largely.

Today Beit Golomb and the Hagana Museum open their portals in a full-fledged state ceremony.

The yawning muzzles of two field-pieces are lined up amidst the shrubbery of Rothschild Boulevard, facing the four-storeyed corrugated tower at the top of the main museum annex which will today become the property of the State in a final gesture by the Hagana Movement, bowing itself out with this IL500,000 Bar Mitzva gift.



The two-storied home of Eliahu Golomb has been incorporated into the new four-storey Hagana Museum in Rothschild Boulevard.

The idea of the museum is not new. It must also have occurred to a good many of the Hagana rank-and-file who had occasion during the past four decades to handle clandestinely everything in the way of small arms from the venerable silver-embossed fowling pieces and muskets down to the good old "coffee grinder" Schwartzloser machine-gun.

Shomrim to State

The museum is planned to present a chronological history of the Hagana, covering consecutive periods from the days of the "Shomrim" of the nineties up to the declaration of the State. Its implementation was entrusted to two public committees, including Mrs. Golda Meir and Mr. Moshe Sharett among their members.

Special attention was directed towards the refurbishing of "Beit Golomb," which served the Hagana as the seat of its first improvised high command. Everything in this house, including what must have been one of General Electric's first wireless sets and down to the ornately hand-carved Russian commode, conveys an authentic atmosphere, reconstructed down to the cumbersome straight-backed chairs.

Inside the museum, the skill of architect Moshe Shapir, a veteran of many international exhibitions, has again provided his traditional clean and uncluttered interiors so that the exhibition is satisfying from an aesthetic point of view, even if it does not convey the real spirit of the Hagana.

While Beit Hagana provides a wealth of informative documents, pictures and equipment, the display of arms seems to be too repetitious. Pistols and bayonets, for instance, are displayed in imposing quantities. Some of the latter include some gruesome saw-tooth types employed by the Germans during World War One, and there is at least one Napoleonic specimen. One does not, however, remember bayonets as typical Hagana weapons. Many of the pistols are relatively modern types available at all gunsmiths — excluding, of course, some legitimate showpieces such as Trumpeldor's revolver or the ancient frontier Colts.

For those too young or too recently arrived to remember, Beit Hagana offers only a weak story. For at least some of the "others" it is, as an admittedly first impression, somewhat disappointing.

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17.30 — April 6

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10.30 — April 9
12.10 — April 9
15.05 — April 6

Tel Aviv-Beersheba
9.30 — April 9

Haifa-Jerusalem
7.27 — April 9
(through Tel Aviv)*

Haifa-Tel Aviv
7.30 — April 9
9.15 — April 9
13.35 — April 6

Haifa-Naharlya
10.50 — April 6

Haifa-Kiryat Motzkin
13.47 — April 6

Beersheba-Tel Aviv
9.54 — April 6

Naharlya-Haifa
17.39 — April 6

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IN MEMORIAM: MOSHE NOVOMEYSKY

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WITH Moshe Novomeysky the last of the "Founding Fathers" of Israel's industry has gone and a chapter in our economic history closes. Pinhas Rutenberg, Misha Polak and Misha (as he was known to his friends) Novomeysky were the three great figures who laid the foundations of Israel's large-scale enterprises and its "heavy" industry, at a time when no benevolent government stood helpfully by their side, ready to assist productive endeavour with loans from the Development Budget.

The reader of Novomeysky's second volume of memoirs "Given to Salt" will realize what an uphill task it was to obtain the Dead Sea Concession in 1930, after fighting for it more than a decade. Here we learn between the lines, not only of Novomeysky the visionary, but of the tower of strength he was, of the tenacity with which he fought against seemingly endless odds. It was not only the opposition of an unfriendly government which had to be overcome, but also ignorance and scepticism with regard to the economic advisability of the Dead Sea scheme. It was only after Novomeysky met another "visionary," Israel B. Brodie of New York, that the financing of the Dead Sea venture by predominantly Zionist funds was assured.

Novomeysky was a staunch believer in Israel's industrial future. As early as 1924, in a now classical article, on "The Industries of Palestine —Conditions and Prospects," he took issue with those who concluded after some initial failures that "no sound industry can develop in Palestine." His article was published in the Bulletin of the Palestine Economic Society, the first organization devoted to economic research in this country. Novomeysky was the Society's spiritual father and a founder.

Pioneer of Chemical Industry

Though Novomeysky was primarily "given to salt" — he had had a hand not only in the Dead Sea but also in the establishment of the Palestine Salt Company at Atlit — his vision encompassed the exploitation of all the country's mineral resources. In the Palestine Mining Syndicate he created a framework for the exploration of phosphate and other mineral deposits, and in the Jordan Exploration Co., the first national oil concern. And Fertilizers and Chemicals Ltd., which he founded 15 years ago, has become not only one of Israel's largest concerns but its leading chemical industry.

It must have been a great satisfaction for Novomeysky in his last days to see the Potash Works on the threshhold of an expansion which will make the whole breadth of his original vision come true, with the gas of Rosh Zohar taking the place of the oil which he predicted would be found in the Dead Sea region. This must have been a compensation for the tragic years after the War of Independence, when part of his life's work was destroyed, and for the frustrations and indignities he suffered before the Dead Sea came to life again. Ever discreet, Novomeysky did not publish this part of his memoirs. He did not care to air grievances in public; nor did he need to. He will be remembered as the great initiator of Israel's chemical industry.

K. G.

YESTERDAY'S PRESS

JORDAN AND THE UAR

IF, writes **Lamerhav** (Ahdut Ha'avoda), Jordan has really decided to abandon its anti-Nasser policy and hitch its wagon to Cairo's star, such a decision may alter the balance of power in the Arab world which will not augur well for the region, the Arab peoples or the State of Israel. It must be remembered that the Eastern border is our longest, most meandering and most dangerous and our position will be appreciably affected if Arab Legionnaires acting on Cairo's orders are stationed along it, to say nothing of a continuous territorial area that may be created between Cairo and Syria. We cannot remain indifferent to such changes along our borders.

Haboker (General Zionist) avers that Nasser is doing us a great service by being frank about his intentions toward us. Be his main objective to get all the other Arab peoples to submit to his rule or otherwise, the fact that he continually dwells on our destruction should be warning enough.

Teachers' Strike

Ma'ariv writes that we must harbour no illusions that the high schools will reopen immediately after the Passover holiday since all signs point to a continued stoppage. It is high time an end was made of this strike, which is wreaking havoc with our high-school youth: let the teachers state openly what their minimum demands are and let the Government state how much it is ready to concede; then, if negotiations make no headway, we shall at least know who is responsible for the destruction of our educational system.

While appreciating the difficulties confronting all those who are concerned in the strike **Ha'aretz** (non-party) writes that pliability on the part of both the Treasury and the Secondary School Teachers Association can bring about a quick end to the stoppage so that the teachers will obtain more than the Halperin Committee was prepared to offer while the Treasury's financial calculations will not collapse.

Concerning the "war of nerves" being waged on us in connection with the coming Eichmann trial, **Herut** writes that this widespread clamour will neither frighten nor deter us from eliciting the truth of the most frightful crimes committed in the history of mankind. One of the slaughterers, who evaded the law for 15 years, is now in our hands, but there are many more like him who are still roaming the earth scot-free.

Al Hamishmar (Mapam) holds that the Kibbbutz Family Exhibition now taking place in Tel Aviv is a challenge to our youth, which is indifferent to the prodigious demands presentd by our social, security and development needs.

1,000 Attend Science Congress

Jerusalem Post Reporter

REHOVOT. — THE Fourth Congress of the Israel Association for the Advancement of Science was divided yesterday into 13 simultaneous symposia, as the different member societies met in separate sessions in various halls of the Weizmann Institute.

Over 200 papers were read by scientists reporting on original research, while over 1,000 persons attended the sessions. Themes ranged from higher mathematics and organic chemistry to practical problems of nutrition.

The Israel Society of the History of Medicine and Science commemorated the 100th anniversary of the birth of Julius Preuss, founder of Hebrew medical historical research. In 1894, he published a book on the early Jewish physicians, and also produced a long series of papers dealing with Biblical and Talmudic medicine. The newly formed Israel Scientific Film Organization held its first public function and explained the uses of film in research and education. Films were shown of the fertilization of the egg cell by motile spermatozoids in two seaweeds.

Lectures were given on the use of normal motion, slow motion and accelerated motion exposures in research, and on the use of "invisible" rays (infra-red, x-ray, and ultra-violet).

Civil Strife in Laos Makes 'Smoking' Dear

OPIUM PRICES RISE

By RAY RALK

BANGKOK (NANA). — THE war in Laos has boosted the price of opium on the world market because transportation is at a premium.

In the dens of Asia, "smoking the pipe" is already more expensive, and heroin, a derivative of opium, will eventually cost more in the illicit narcotics trade of San Francisco and New York.

Bangkok remains the centre of the world opium trade. Opium smoking has been outlawed in Thailand, but it is still possible "to smoke," as the sophisticates put it, in this capital. Opium trading, long the source of the personal fortunes of some high Thai government officials, continues to operate with the tacit sanction of powerful politician-generals.

From Bangkok the brown bricks move by plane and ship to Hong Kong where they are refined into white heroin powder. The British authorities close down half a dozen stills a year. From Hong Kong the "junk" goes by mail and messenger to the U.S.

The narcotic substance comes from the highland regions of Southeast Asia, from Yunnan province in China, from northern Burma and from Laos. Most of it is funneled through Vientiane, the capital of Laos, into Thailand.

Main Cash Crop

Opium, the only important cash crop in Laos, has an estimated annual value of $5m. It is raised by the long-haired Meo tribesmen who lead a nomadic existence.

Chinese merchants buy the raw opium from the Meo women when they come out of the hills to shop. At this, the first of many transactions, opium brings only $1 per kilo. In times of scarcity, such as now, it might rise to $45.

Throughout Asia Chinese merchants and gangsters have their hand in the opium and heroin trade. But in each country undesirable local elements do the dirty work.

Opium smoking is a much misunderstood vice. It is not physically habit-forming although its extended use may cause a mental demand that is difficult to shake. Once stopped it does not cause the wild withdrawal agonies of heroin.

Opium smoking among Westerners in Asia is far more widespread than is generally known. In some circles in southeast Asia the casual cocktail party remark "do you smoke?" refers not to cigarettes or cigars but to the opium pipe.

GAY FUNERAL

By HEDLEY RHODES

Of all the sad stories of the death of kings none is less solemn or more colourful than the tale of Sisavang Vang, the late monarch of Laos. Since his death in October, 1959, King Sisavang Vang has been having a difficult time getting cremated.

The first problem was finding a proper coffin. For so great a ruler as Sisavang, who reigned for more than 30 years, nothing less than the finest sandalwood was suitable. The search for such a tree, in which thousands of Laotians were engaged, ensued for many months.

Finally, the tree was found, large enough to take the royal corpse in a crouching position. But hardly had it been carved into the correct kind of coffin for the funeral pyre than Laos was beset by civil war. Time and again the funeral has been postponed.

Now, however, the great ceremony is scheduled for this month. Unfettered by the sadness of Christian rites, Laotians celebrate death with gaiety and abandon. The King's cremation is expected to rival the Mardi Gras at Rio.

It will last for a week, and some 7,000 guests are expected to attend. The heads of all States that recognize Laos are invited, and should they accept, the Queen of England may find herself flanked by President Kennedy and Mr. Khrushchev. As is usual in Laotian funerals, there is a great deal of feasting, drinking and dancing in addition to games and boating on the Mekong river. As he ascends to Nirvana, the late King Sisavang Vang is anxious to see that everyone is enjoying himself.

(OVNS)

Readers' Letters

AUSTRIAN RESTITUTION

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — Referring to the remarks of Dr. Goldmann, quoted in your issue of March 20, to the effect that the Austrian Jews would not get the same rate of compensation as the German Jews and that "if Dr. Schoenblum — Chairman of the World Organization of former Austrian Jews—thinks he can get more, please let him do so," I consider it necessary to state the following facts:

In 1958 the Claims Conference, whose Chairman Dr. Goldmann is, was prepared to accept, at its meeting in Geneva, an Austrian offer of $6m. i.e. about half of one per cent of the value of the material damage, as a final settlement and only the determined objections of Mr. Roseman, member of our Presidium, prevented this.

Under the pressure of public opinion, the Austrian Government increased their offer to $26,000,000 in May 1960, which Dr. Goldmann was again prepared to accept. Again our organization unequivocally rejected this ridiculous offer, whereupon the Austrians once more raised their proposal to $36m.

Dr. Goldmann was again ready to accept declaring, as on the previous occasions, that the Jews from Austria could not get more.

At the present moment, when the Austrian and the German Foreign Ministers are about to meet on this matter, Dr. Goldmann seems to be willing to accept blindly whatever they decide. Our organization, on the other hand, firmly insists on full compensation and will continue to fight until its aim is achieved.

It therefore becomes clear that anything achieved so far in the matter of compensation for victims of Austrian Nazism is due to the efforts of our organization, the chairman of which I have the honour to be.

If Dr. Goldmann now proposes that I should try to get more, I can merely say that I would be only too ready to take him at his word. Unfortunately, I do not enjoy the official status that Dr. Goldmann does, and all I can do is to raise, again and again, the cry of the unfortunate victims, many of them old, sick and destitute, who cannot afford to be as magnanimous as Dr. Goldmann and who will never understand why they alone, of all Nazi victims, should be excluded from just reparation. Their number, by the way, is not 30,000 as stated by Dr. Goldmann, but about 75,000, of whom 20,000 are Israel citizens.

I would like to add for your record: the material damage suffered by the Jews in Austria amounts to approximately $1,000m., not to mention loss of income, schooling, health etc.

Yours, etc.,
(Dr.) S. SCHOENBLUM
Chairman of the World Association of the Jews from Austria for the Protection of Their Rights

Haifa, March 22.

CALL TO PARENTS

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — Even on the dubious assumption that the secondary teachers' strike is of no concern to anyone besides the teachers and the Ministry of Education, the instruction of Israel's youth is the vital concern of all who care for the country and the active responsibility of every resident. As a rather recent immigrant, I hereby call on the Parents Associations throughout the land to organize voluntary evening classes, and I call on every reasonably qualified individual to teach these classes without remuneration.

I am prepared to teach the following subjects: English language and literature; Hebrew grammar; comparative literature; Jewish thought; rabbinic literature.

Yours, etc.,
RABBI I. CAINE

Jerusalem, March 29.

ART CRITICISM

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — Your art critic, Meir Ronnen, reviewing Motke Blum's current exhibition at the Jerusalem Artists' House in your issue of March 17, stated that "his mosaics consist of masses of pebbles, rough mosaic chips, broken ceramics and other jetsam assembled in rather chaotic simulation of modern design", etc.

I am neither an artist, nor a critic, nor yet an art dealer; I am just a lover of art who has followed for many years the development of art in general and the achievements of Israel artists in particular, and has collected works by many of them.

To me Motke Blum's mosaics seem highly original, forcefully composed, exuberant in their many-sidedness and vigour. I like his contrasting colours, his daring innovations, his versatile application of unusual elements, which blend into an organic whole. He combines modernism in composition and use of materials with the essential spirit of this time-honoured branch of art, which was practised in our country many centuries ago by Jewish artists such as those who made the Beth-Alpha mosaic floor. I think some of our public institutions may be well-advised to add a note of distinction and cheerfulness to the interiors of their buildings by gracing their walls with Motke's mosaics.

Yours, etc.,
A. L. MOHILEVER

Jerusalem, March 28.

HEARD ABROAD

I never use the word "never" because that is not wise in human relationships or in the conduct of Parliamentary business — Mr. R.A. Butler.

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MUSICAL DIARY

Pure Joy

Piano Recital by Gina Bachauer (Wise Auditorium, Hebrew University Campus, Jerusalem, April 2). Bach-Busoni: Toccata in C; Haydn: Sonata in E minor, Beethoven: Sonata in C, Op. 53 ("Waldstein"); Chopin: Nocturne in C sharp minor, Three Scottish Dances, Fantasy in F minor; Stravinsky: Two movements from "Petrushka."

FROM the first note to the last phrase, this was the recital of a sovereign master of the keyboard. Her easy control over all things technical and her convincing and mature interpretations made listening pure joy and a highly satisfying experience. No wonder the audience gave the artist a standing ovation for three encores. And here Gina Bachauer disclosed again in full her power of identification with each work under her fingers. The "Jeunes filles au jardin" by Mompou (a Spanish composer born in 1893) was so gracefully played that its trivial contents came out as charming music. Mussorgsky's "Great Gate of Kiev" as an orgy of sound — and an impressive display of technical perfection that made terrific impact. The closing Etude in A minor, Opus 25, No. 11, by Chopin, was the grand climax, displaying all those qualities which make a great pianist and a great artist.

Danger Signal

First evening of Mozart's Piano Sonatas played by Daniel Barenboim (Y.M.C.A. Auditorium, Jerusalem, April 1). The first six sonatas, K.279-284.

THE undertaking to perform all of Mozart's 19 sonatas in four recitals is quite an ambitious one, but the first part already enabled Daniel Barenboim to show his impressive talent for study and a great gift of unfailing memory. As a way of getting acquainted with these works, hardly more than three or four of which are included in piano recitals, this cycle can serve a useful purpose. As an attempt to display the young pianist's overwhelming artistry, however, it must fail miserably.

Every hearing of this gifted boy deepens the impression that his musical development has become blurred by ambitious endeavours which have made him overreach himself. A genius is born, not made; a talent must be nursed and developed slowly and patiently by responsible and experienced mentors if no damage is to be done. Instead of making music in a natural manner, Daniel has begun to "perform," and cramped mannerisms are replacing perception. One discerns no love for music or humility before the great masters: there is only Daniel Barenboim showing the world what a genius he is. If he over-dramatizes all the slow movements, if he over-emphasizes minor details, thus losing the broad outlines, this can be attributed to immaturity, but his general bearing points to an over-estimation of his place in history. His undisputably great gifts could be saved for the future if Daniel would be taken off the concert stage for at least one or two years and sent to some great artist to study humility and devotion without consideration of public success or financial remuneration at this early stage.

Youth Concert

Fourth Kol Yisrael Orchestra Youth Concert. Gary Bertini, conductor; Bina Radek, piano; Netanya Dovrat, soprano; Yitzhak Shimoni, narrator (Y.M.C.A. Auditorium, Jerusalem, March 23). Bach: Concerto in F minor for piano and string orchestra; Schubert: "Song of Miriam" (with the Kol Yisrael Vocal Ensemble); George Kleinsinger "Poe Woe Piccolo", a musical story.

RINA Radek, a 13-year-old pianist from the Haifa area, made her sucessful debut as soloist in Bach's F minor concerto. She has an appreciable technique and a flexible touch, pointing to a talent that is worth developing. The second item on the programme, Schubert's "Song of Miriam," was far too long and too serious for the restless audience. It was rather a very good effort wasted, as the presentation was on a fine level and everyone gave of his best: Netanya Dovrat attended to her part with a sure reading and a perfect voice, and the vocal ensemble sang its lines efficiently and pleasantly. The accompaniment, written originally for the piano and orchestrated by Felix Mottl, was in excellent hands. Ayah Leipaker disclosed a talent for this sort of work, playing with a sure sense of tempo and substituting the piano for the musical background most satisfyingly.

Kleinsinger's closing number seemed to catch the attention of the listeners again and the story went over well. Here Yitzhak Shimoni put his elastic talent to its best advantage; he even broke into some sort of singing. The orchestra, led by Gary Bertini, was in good form, and the dynamic conducter achieved a colourful reading of this amusing piece. David Lein-Hen served as the master of ceremonies in his customary easy-going manner mixing educational explanations with witty improvisations which went down well with his unruly audience and kept them attentive for a few moments.

YOHANAN BOHM

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